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GEN. LAWTON KILLED

Struck in the Breast by an Insurgent Bullet.

DURING AN ATTACK ON SAN MATEO.

The General, at the Time He Was Hit, Was Standing in Front of His Troops—President McKinley and His Cabinet Hear of the Death of the Brave Officer with Expressions of Profound Sorrow and Regret.

Manila, Dec. 19.—Major General Henry W. Lawton has been shot and killed at San Mateo. He was standing in front of his troops, was shot in the breast and died immediately. General Lawton had started from Manila with cavalry, under Captain Lockett, and



GENERAL HENRY W. LAWTON, battalions of the Twenty-ninth and Twenty-seventh infantry, under Lieutenant Colonel Sargent, for the purpose of capturing San Mateo, where Geronimo was said to have 300 insurgents.

THE NEWS IN WASHINGTON.
President and Cabinet Express Sorrow and Regret.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Up to 1 o'clock in the afternoon the war department had received no word of General Lawton's death except that conveyed in the Associated Press dispatch, which was given immediately to the war officials. The president's first intimation of the loss of this brave officer was also given him by the Associated Press. The dispatch was sent to the White House while the cabinet meeting was in progress and was immediately sent to the cabinet room, where it was received with expressions of profound sorrow and regret. It was learned at the war department that instructions had been received Monday night from the president to prepare General Lawton's commission as a brigadier general in the regular army, to fill one of the existing vacancies, and the adjutant general's clerk was at work on the commission when the information of General Lawton's death was conveyed to the department. General Lawton was a native of Indiana and won his commission in the army by signal gallantry during the war between the states.

SULTAN IS IN A RAGE.
Seeks Arrest at Marseilles of His Fleeing Brother-in-Law.

Moscow, Dec. 19.—A dispatch from Constantinople says the sultan is in a towering rage at the flight of his brother-in-law, Mahmoud Pasha, who took with him the jewels of his wife, the sultan's sister, leaving her behind. His deserted wife, it is declared, is crazed by grief and fear. She denies knowledge of her husband's flight or the direction of it, but for all that she is practically a prisoner in his palace.

The sultan has discovered that his brother-in-law fled on a French steamer calling at Marseilles, and the French authorities have been asked to arrest him on his arrival, on a charge of conspiracy to assassinate Abdul Hamid. It is learned that Mahmoud Pasha's departure was due principally to his disgust at the miserable status to which Turkish legations abroad have been reduced, they being now practically nothing more than Ottoman detective agencies.

Hazing Abolished at West Point.
West Point, N. Y., Dec. 19.—The three upper classes at the United States Military academy have joined together and unanimously voted to abolish hazing the plebe class after Jan. 1. The decision is the result of a vigorous crusade against hazing by the superintendent and commandant of cadets. Things had come to such a pass that the superintendent in his annual report to the adjutant general called attention to the evils of hazing and his efforts to stamp it out.

Disastrous Cave-In.
Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 19.—A cave-in occurred in the cement mines of the New York and Rosendale Cement works at Rosendale. Fifteen miners were buried, but were rescued from the mine. Thousands of tons of rock and dirt caved in, carrying down buildings and machinery.

Modest Women

Modesty in women is no less a charm than beauty and wit. Is it any wonder that women afflicted with physical disorders peculiar to their sex shrink from personal examinations by male physicians? The weaknesses and irregularities of women may be recognized by certain unassuming symptoms. Backache, headache, bearing-down pains, irritability and extreme nervousness indicate derangement of the delicate female organism. Bradfield's Female Regulator is the standard remedy for characteristic diseases of women. Sold by druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

AGAINST EXPANSION.

Hoar Presents His Views to the Senate.

GIVEN IN FORM OF A RESOLUTION.

Says the American People Have No Right to Take from Any Other People the Birthright of Freedom Because of a Fear That They Will Do Wrong with It—What General Brooke's Proclamation Shows—Other Washington News.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Senator Hoar of Massachusetts introduced the following resolution in the senate:

"Whereas, The American people and the several states in the Union have in times past, at important periods in their history, especially when declaring their independence, establishing their constitutions, or undertaking new and great responsibilities, seen fit to declare the purposes for which the nation or state was founded, and the important objects, the people intend to pursue in their political action, and

"Whereas, The close of a great war, the liberation by the United States of the people of Cuba and Porto Rico in the western hemisphere, and of the Philippine islands in the far east, and the reduction of those peoples to a condition of practical dependence upon the United States constitute an occasion which makes such a declaration proper; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That this republic adheres to the doctrines which were in the past set forth in the declaration of independence, and in its national and state constitutions; That the purpose of its existence and the objects to which its political action ought to be directed are the ennobling of humanity, the raising from the dust its humblest and coarsest members, and the enabling of persons coming lawfully under its power or influence to live in freedom and in honor, under governments whose forms they are to have a share in determining and in whose administration they have an equal share.

Most Important Obligations.

"Its most important and pressing obligations are:

- "1. To solve the difficult problem presented by the presence of different races on our soil, with equal constitutional rights. To make the negro safe in his home, secure in his vote, equal in his opportunity for education and employment; and to bring the Indian to a civilization and culture in accordance with his need and capacity.
- "2. To enable great cities to govern themselves in freedom, honor and purity.
- "3. To make the ballot-box as pure as a sacramental vessel and the election return as perfectly in accord with the law and the truth as the judgment of the supreme court.
- "4. To banish illiteracy and ignorance from the land.
- "5. To secure for every workman and for every working woman wages enough to support a life of comfort and an old age of leisure and quiet, as befits those who have an equal share in a self-governing state.
- "6. To grow and expand, over the continent and over the islands of the sea, just so fast and no faster as we can bring into equality and self-government, under our constitution, peoples and races who will share these ideals, and help to make them realities.
- "7. To set a peaceful example of freedom which mankind will be glad to follow, but never to force even freedom upon unwilling nations at the point of the bayonet or at the cannon's mouth.
- "8. To abstain from interfering with the freedom and just rights of other nations or peoples, and to remember that the liberty to do right necessarily involves the liberty to do wrong; and that the American people has no right to take from any other people the birthright of freedom because of a fear that they will do wrong with it."

General Brooke's Proclamation.

Hale had read from the clerk's desk the proclamation issued by General Brooke in Havana on turning over the civil government of Cuba to his successor, General Leonard Wood.

"This proclamation," said he, "must arrest the attention of the senate committee on Cuban affairs and of the country. It is a most remarkable statement of the progress that has been made in Cuba. If General Brooke be right peace and order practically have been restored on the island and the people will be ready at an early date to enter upon a government of their own. General Brooke is to be congratulated upon having accomplished a vast work. It is much greater than I had supposed. I see the dawn of the time when the Cuban people will be able to set up a government of their own. General Brooke having been displaced, will soon come north and when he arrives, will receive our congratulations upon his great work."

The matter was referred to the committee on relations with Cuba.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON TREATIES.

Bacon Would Not Take Tutuila without Consent of Inhabitants.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The senate committee on foreign relations has authorized a favorable report upon the two treaties negotiated with Great Britain and Germany for the dissolution of the tripartite agreement for the control of the Samoan islands. Senator Bacon, one of the new Democratic members of the committee, was the only opponent of the treaty and he did not seek to delay the reporting of it to the senate. His opposition was directed towards the acquisition by this country to the island of Tutuila, and his opposition to that was based upon the contention that the consent of the islanders should be first secured.

He was met on this proposition with the statement that the natives were nothing more than wandering tribes, and with the argument that the United States could not afford to forego the opportunity to secure complete control of Pago Pago harbor which this treaty furnishes.

Landmen for the Navy.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The increasing necessity for enlisted men and the trouble experienced in securing capable seamen from the merchant marine

service has been so severely felt by the navy department that orders have been issued by the recruiting branch to enroll a large number of landmen who will be turned over to the training ships for instructions. During the first fifteen days of this month only 190 landmen and fifty apprentices were enlisted. So successful has been the policy of the navy department in training landmen that Secretary Long will send to the two naval committees of congress a bill providing for two 3,000-ton vessels for training seamen.

Contested Election Cases.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Elections committee No. 1 of the house held its first meeting and arranged to begin the consideration of contested election cases soon after the holidays. The case of William F. Aldrich, contestant, vs. Gaston A. Robbins, Fourth Alabama district, was set for hearing Jan. 8; the case of Walter Evans, contestant, against Oscar Turner, Fifth Kentucky district, was set for Jan. 11. Later the committee will fix times for hearing the other contests, of which there are eight pending.

Cablegram from Admiral Watson.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Admiral Watson cables the navy department from Manila as follows: "Concern, Ackley, Pampanga, Leigh, on the 18th inst., with two companies of infantry, captured Romblon. John James, seaman, wounded in the knee, the only casualty in the navy. Newark's battalion landed from Callao occupied Camplona, north coast Luzon. Burwell, Wheeling co-operating (with) General Young like one service, landing battalion, doing excellent work daily north and west Luzon."

Sixty Postoffices Dropped.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Sixty post-offices in Carroll county, Md., have been ordered abolished by the post-office department in consequence of the establishment of the Westminister wagon road delivery. All are offices of the fourth class. The new service not only brings a fourth-class postoffice to the door of nearly every patron of the old offices, but provides also free delivery and a house-to-house delivery and money-order system.

LAWTON AN EASY MARK.

He Was Laughing at the Filipino Marksmanship When Hit.

Manila, Dec. 20.—When the soldiers who were to capture San Mateo arrived in the vicinity of the place General Lawton and his staff, accompanied by a small escort, started in advance of the main force. The troops suffered a great deal on the march, as the country was half flooded from a heavy rain, which had not yet ceased. Soon after the troops had had breakfast Tuesday morning an attack on San Mateo was begun, the fight lasting until nearly noon. Only a few of the troops were wounded, but the bullets fell thickly about Lawton and his staff.

The general was in a light-colored raincoat and big helmet, and by reason of his great height was head and shoulders above any of his officers near him. The rebel sharpshooters apparently early marked him as the commanding officer, and the ground near him was constantly cut by bullets. He was walking down the firing line directing the fire against a Filipino trench, 300 yards distant, and refused to heed the warnings of his officers and men to take cover.

He was laughing good-naturedly at the firing from the rebel trenches, apparently holding their shooting in contempt, when he threw up his hands and gasped, "I am shot here." He fell over and was dead before a surgeon could reach him. He was shot through the breast. The troops captured the city soon after the death of General Lawton. The body on a stretcher was taken into the city. The rebels were dispersed.

Charges Against Senator Gallinger.

Laconia, N. H., Dec. 20.—The charges brought by ex-Governor C. A. Busiel and Senator W. E. Chandler against Senator J. H. Gallinger, alleging violation of the civil service laws, will be taken before the grand jury next week. The case now is in the hands of United States District Attorney Hamblett. The case is based on the allegation that Senator Gallinger, as chairman of the state Republican committee, solicited subscriptions from federal employes for campaign purposes.



The Dread of Death.
A man bound hand and foot upon a railway track can see the approaching danger with his open eyes and realize how actual and terrible it is; but when a man's faculties are bound about by cords of disease, he feels only by a sort of natural instinct the danger that is coming upon him although he cannot actually see it.

That awful sense of dread, the feeling that death is near at hand is described by a South Carolina gentleman, Thos. G. Lever, Esq., of Lever, Richmond Co., with truth that everyone who has ever experienced it will immediately recognize:

"I had what the doctors called nervous indigestion," he says: "I took medicine from my family physician for it, but of no avail. In looking over one of the Memorandum Books issued by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., I found a case like mine described exactly. I wrote to Dr. Pierce and made a statement. He sent me a descriptive list of questions, also hygienic rules. 'I carried these out as best I could, but I thought it almost impossible, as I suffered much with pain under my ribs and an empty feeling in my stomach. At night I would have cold or hot feet and hands alternately. I was getting very nervous and suffered a great deal with uneasiness as to my condition, thinking that death would soon claim me; always expecting something unusual to take place and having a great dread on my mind. I was also irritable and impatient, and was greatly reduced in flesh. 'I could eat scarcely anything, and I was producing a bad feeling in my stomach. After some hesitation, owing to my prejudice against patent medicines, I decided to try a few bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pellets.' After taking several bottles of each I found I was improving. I have to be careful yet at times as to what I eat, in order that I may feel good and strong. I fully believe if any who suffer with indigestion or torpid liver or chronic cold would take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets' and observe a few simple hygienic rules they would be greatly benefited, and with little perseverance would be entirely cured."

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